

Invasive Plants of Saguaro National Park (present and potential)

- = present in park
- = Historic but currently eradicated from the park.
- ▲ = Proposed for immediate control (within first three years of plan)
- ◊ = Proposed for potential control before the sunset date of this plan
- O = Potentially in the park

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Exotic species	Present in the park
<i>Agrostis semiverticillata</i> beardless rabbitsfoot grass	■
<i>Agrostis stolonifera</i> var. <i>palustris</i> creeping bentgrass	■
<i>Ailanthus altissima</i> tree of heaven	O
<i>Alhagi pseudalhagi</i> camelthorn	O
<i>Arundo donax</i> giant cane	□
<i>Asphodelus fistulosus</i> onionweed	■
<i>Avena fatua</i> wild oats	■
<i>Avena sativa</i> common oat	□
<i>Bothriochloa ischaemum</i> yellow bluestem	■
<i>Brassica tournefortii</i> Saharan mustard	■
<i>Bromus diandrus</i> ripgut grass	O
<i>Bromus rubens</i> red brome	■
<i>Bromus tectorum</i> cheatgrass	□
<i>Caesalpinia gilliesii</i> Mexican bird-of-paradise	■
<i>Capsella bursa-pastoris</i> shepherd's purse	■
<i>Cenchrus longispinus</i> longspine sandbur	■
<i>Centaurea melitensis</i> Malta starthistle	■
<i>Centaurea solstitialis</i> yellow starthistle	O
<i>Cerastium gracile</i> slender chickweed	■
<i>Chenopodium graveolens</i> var. <i>neomexicanum</i> fetid goosefoot	■
<i>Chenopodium murale</i> lambsquarter	■

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<i>Cirsium arvense</i> Canada thistle	O
<i>Cirsium vulgare</i> bull thistle	O
<i>Citrullis vulgaris</i> watermelon	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Convolvulus arvensis</i> field bindweed	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Cortaderia selloana</i> pampas grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Cynodon dactylon</i> Bermuda grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Dactyloctenium aegyptium</i> Egyptian grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Digitaria ciliaris</i> southern crabgrass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Digitaria sanguinalis</i> hairy crabgrass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Dimorphotheca sinuata</i> African daisy	<input type="checkbox"/>
<i>Echinochloa colonum</i> jungle ricegrass	O
<i>Echinochloa</i> sp. jungle ricegrass, barnyard grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Enneapogon cenchroides</i> soft feather pappus grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Eragrostis ciliaris</i> stink grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Eragrostis curvula</i> var. <i>conferta</i> weeping lovegrass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Eragrostis echinochloidea</i> lovegrass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Eragrostis lehmanniana</i> Lehmann lovegrass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Erodium cicutarium</i> redstem filaree	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Euphorbia esula</i> leafy spurge	O
<i>Euryops subcarnosus</i> sweet resinbush	O
<i>Galium aparine</i> bedstraw	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Hedysarum occidentale</i> southern bluet	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Herniaria hirsuta</i> ssp. <i>cinerea</i> hairy rupturewort	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Hordeum murinum</i> ssp. <i>glaucum</i> wild barley	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Lactuca serriola</i> prickly lettuce	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<i>Lamarckia aurea</i> goldentop grass	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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<i>Lamium amplexicaule</i> henbit	■
<i>Linum grandiflorum</i> flax	□
<i>Malva parviflora</i> cheeseweed	□
<i>Marrubium vulgare</i> horehound	■
<i>Matthiola longipetala</i> var. <i>bicornis</i> evening stock	■
<i>Matthiola parviflora</i>	■
<i>Medicago polymorpha</i> bur clover	■
<i>Medicago sativa</i> alfalfa	■
<i>Melilotus indicus</i> annual yellow sweetclover	O
<i>Melilotus</i> sp. sweetclover	■
<i>Mollugo cerviana</i> seringe	■
<i>Nerium oleander</i> oleander	■
<i>Nicotiana glauca</i> tree tobacco	□
<i>Opuntia lindheimeri</i> var. <i>linguiformis</i> cow's tongue prickly pear	□
<i>Opuntia santa-rita</i> Santa Rita prickly pear	□
<i>Oxalis stricta</i> yellow wood sorrel	■
<i>Panicum antidotale</i> blue panicgrass	■
<i>Papaver</i> sp. ornamental poppy	□
<i>Paspalum dilatatum</i> dallisgrass	■
<i>Pennisetum ciliare</i> buffelgrass	■
<i>Pennisetum setaceum</i> fountain grass	■
<i>Pentzia incana</i> pentzia	O
<i>Phalaris canariensis</i> annual canarygrass	O
<i>Phalaris minor</i> littleseed canarygrass	O
<i>Phalaris</i> sp. canarygrass	■
<i>Phleum pratense</i> timothy	■

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<i>Poa annua</i> annual bluegrass	■
<i>Poa pratensis</i> Kentucky bluegrass	■
<i>Polygonum aviculare</i> prostrate knotweed	■
<i>Polypogon monspeliensis</i> rabbit foot grass	■
<i>Rhus lancea</i> African sumac	■
<i>Rhynchospora repens</i> natal grass	■
<i>Rumex acetosella</i> sheep sorrel	■
<i>Rumex crispus</i> curly dock	■
<i>Salsola</i> spp. Russian thistle	■
<i>Schismus arabicus</i> , <i>S. barbatus</i> Mediterranean grass	■
<i>Sisymbrium altissimum</i> tumblemustard	■
<i>Sisymbrium irio</i> London rocket	■
<i>Sonchus asper</i> , <i>S. oleraceus</i> sow thistle	■
<i>Sorghum halepense</i> Johnson grass	■
<i>Tamarix aphylla</i> aphel tamarisk	■
<i>Tamarix</i> spp. tamarisk	■
<i>Taraxacum</i> spp. dandelion	■
<i>Trianthema portulacastrum</i> horsepurslane	■
<i>Tribulus terrestris</i> goathead, puncture vine	■
<i>Triticum aestivum</i> wheat	□
<i>Vulpia myuros</i> foxtail fescue	■
<i>Zea mays</i> corn	□

* Arizona Department of Agriculture: Noxious and Restricted Weeds, 2004

